

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Telephonic Interview

The undersigned would like to thank Examiner Patel for the telephonic interview conducted on Thursday, July 13, 2006. During our conversation, Examiner Patel agreed that the above claims overcome the section 112 rejections, and our in condition for allowance.

Claim Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 112

The Examiner rejected claims 1, 6-12, 20, and 23-27 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. In accordance with the telephone conversation between the undersigned and Examiner Patel, the claims are now in condition for allowance.

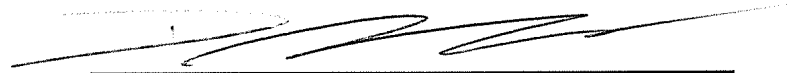
Claims 1, 6-12, 20, and 23-27 remain in this application. Claims 1, 12, 20, and 27 have been amended to correct minor issues.

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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